

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE



NORTHEAST REGIONAL OFFICE/FISHERIES STATISTICS OFFICE FISHERY INFORMATION SECTION

Weekly Squid Quota Report (No. 40)

Loligo and *Illex* Squid Landings and Commercial Quota (Pounds) for 1999 through week ending **09-OCT-99**.

Month	Pounds		
	Loligo	Illex	
January	3,194,010	135,926	
February	2,958,680	21,318	
March	2,970,543	42,596	
April	4,487,064	29,751	
May	1,640,216	63,459	
June	1,017,069	2,690,809	
July	3,513,831	5,565,534	
August	3,596,712	4,708,946	
September	3,229,123	1,805,788	
October	2,415,356	86,882	
November	0	0	
December	0	0	
Total	29,022,604	15,151,009	
Quota	46,305,000	50,274,000	
Percent			
Landed	62.7	30.1	

Notes:

For the week ending **09-OCT-99**, 207 dealers held a federal squid, mackerel, butterfish permit. Of those 207 dealers, 153 (74%) have submitted a weekly quota report for the current reporting week. Because Massachusetts dealers submit weekly quota reports directly to the state, they were not included in these calculations.

These data are the best available to NMFS when this report was compiled. Data are supplied to NMFS by dealers and/or state agencies and may be preliminary.

The following summary is updated as information is received, and may not reflect recent state actions. Readers are urged to contact the appropriate state agency for further information.

State Information on Illex and Loligo Squid

State/	Closure	Trip/Possession Limits		State Contact
Commonwealth	status	(pounds)	Pending Changes	
Maine				Kerry Lyons 207-633-9510
New Hampshire				603-868-1095
Massachusetts			As of June 16, 1999, small-mesh trawling will be prohibited through the end of the year in both Nantucket and Vineyard Sound and waters around the islands under the jurisdiction of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.	Dave Pierce 617-727-3193
Rhode Island				Richard Sisson 401-789-3094
Connecticut				Colleen Giannini 860-434-6043
New York				John Mason 516-444-0453
New Jersey				Tom McCloy 609-292-2083
Delaware				Rick Cole 302-739-4782
Maryland				Harley Speir 410-260-8303
Virginia				Ryan Cool 757-247-8067
North Carolina				Fentress "Red" Munden, 919-726-7021